

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 24 to 38 without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter and add new Claims 39 to 44 as shown below. The claims, as pending in the subject application, read as follows:

1. to 38. (Cancelled)

39. (New) A print apparatus for holding an application program provided from an application service provider apparatus, comprising:

downloading means for downloading the application program to a user terminal apparatus;

receiving means for receiving, from said user terminal apparatus, a file produced when said user terminal apparatus executes the application program, and a print request of the produced file;

discriminating means for discriminating a type of the application program used to produce the file;

print processing means for executing print processing of the received file;

recording means for recording, in a log, a print amount caused by the print processing, in correspondence with the type of the application program;

calculating means for calculating a charge on the basis of a cost for use of the log and a cost for use of the application program; and

notifying means for notifying an accounting management server of the calculated charge,

wherein said accounting management server effects processing for sending money to said application service provider apparatus, on the basis of the calculated charge.

40. (New) An apparatus according to claim 39, wherein said receiving

means receives a user ID for uniquely identifying said user terminal apparatus, wherein said recording means records the print amount in correspondence with the user ID, and wherein said calculating means calculates the charge for every user ID.

41. (New) An apparatus according to claim 39, further comprising erasing means for erasing the log when said accounting management server completes the accounting processing.

42. (New) An apparatus according to claim 39, wherein said downloading means downloads a plurality of application programs to said user terminal apparatus, wherein said receiving means receives a file produced when said user terminal apparatus executes the plurality of application programs, and wherein said calculating means calculates the charge on the basis of the cost for use of the log and the cost for use of each of combinations of the plurality of application programs.

43. (New) A control method for a print apparatus for holding an application program provided from an application service provider apparatus, comprising:

a downloading step of downloading the application program to a user terminal apparatus;

a receiving step of receiving, from said user terminal apparatus, a file produced when said user terminal apparatus executes the application program, and a print request of the produced file;

a discriminating step of discriminating a type of the application program used to produce the file;

a print processing step of executing print processing of the received file;

a recording step of recording, in a log, a print amount caused by the print processing, in correspondence with the type of the application program;

a calculating step of calculating a charge on the basis of a cost for use of the

log and a cost for use of the application program; and

a notifying step of notifying an accounting management server of the calculated charge,

whercin said accounting management server effects processing for sending money to said application service provider apparatus, on the basis of the calculated charge.

44. (Ncw) A computer-readable storage medium on which is stored a computer-executable program for causing a computer to execute a control method for a print apparatus for holding an application program provided from a application service provider apparatus, said control method comprising:

a downloading step of downloading the application program to a user terminal apparatus;

a receiving step of receiving, from said user terminal apparatus, a file produced when said user terminal apparatus executes the application program, and a print request of the produced file;

a discriminating step of discriminating a type of the application program used to produce the file;

a print processing step of executing print processing of the received file;

a recording step of recording, in a log, a print amount caused by the print processing, in correspondenc with the type of the application program;

a calculating step of calculating a charge on the basis of a cost for use of the log and a cost for use of the application program; and

a notifying step of notifying an accounting management server of the calculated charge,

wherein said accounting management server effects processing for sending money to said application service provider apparatus, on the basis of the calculated charge.